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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: SCOPE RULING ON INDUSTRIAL BELTS AND COMPONENTS AND PARTS THEREOF, WHETHER CURED OR UNCURED, FROM JAPAN - MATSUSHITA AND PANASONIC CO. (090392 IS DATE DOC ISSUED FINAL SCOPE)

1. ON SEPTEMBER 3, 1992, IN RESPONSE TO REQUESTS BY MATSUSHITA FLOOR CARE COMPANY (MATSUSHITA) AND PANASONIC COMPANY (PANASONIC), THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL SCOPE RULING THAT THE FOLLOWING ROUND AND FLAT BELTS ARE NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING INDUSTRIAL BELTS:

MATSUSHITA PANASONIC

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- 2. MATSUSHITA AND PANASONIC ARGUED THAT THESE BELTS ARE NOT REINFORCED WITH A TENSILE MEMBER, AND ARE, THEREFORE, NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER COVERING INDUSTRIAL BELTS.
- 3. THE DEPARTMENT AGREES THAT THESE BELTS ARE NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ORDERS BECAUSE THESE BELTS DO NOT CONTAIN TENSILE MEMBERS.
- 4. EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, TERMINATE SUSPENSION AND LIQUIDATE ALL UNLIQUIDATED ENTRIES, REGARDLESS OF ENTRY DATE, OF THE ABOVE-LISTED PRODUCTS.
- 5. REFUND ANY CASH DEPOSITS AND RELEASE ANY BONDS RELATING TO THE ABOVE-LISTED PRODUCTS.
- 6. IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS, CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ALL OTHER ENTRIES OF INDUSTRIAL BELTS FROM JAPAN.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH, BY E-MAIL ATTRIBUTE HQ OAB. THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT MELISSA SKINNER OR MARTHA BUTWIN AT (202) 377-4851, OF THE OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING COMPLIANCE, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party